

# UNIVERSITY STANDARDS COMMITTEE

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## AGENDA

THURSDAY, 7 JUNE 2007

AT 9:00 AM IN A204

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Minutes of the meeting of 22 March 2007
3. Matters arising from the minutes
4. Proposal arising from decision on marks bands
5. Proposal on revised English language requirements
6. Proposal on revised supplementary admissions procedure for applicants with disabilities
7. Proposal for readmission of a student following a protracted absence
8. Revised nomination form: external examiners for taught programmes
9. Marks and Standards for 2007/2008 for the Graduate Diploma in Education (Primary Teaching) in St Patrick's College.

### **INTERIM BUSINESS ON BEHALF OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL**

#### **10. Appointment of External Examiners:**

##### **10.1 Appointment of Examiners: Taught Programmes**

- 10.1.1 Dr Anne Crilly, University of Ulster  
School of Communications
- 10.1.2 Professor George King, University of Manchester  
School of Physical Sciences
- 10.1.3 Professor Bjorn Axelsson, Stockholm School of Economics  
DCUBS
- 10.1.4 Professor Seamus MacMathuna, University of Ulster  
School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies
- 10.1.5 Dr Anwei Feng, University of Durham  
School of Applied Language and Intercultural Studies

- 10.1.6 *Retrospective re-appointment*  
Mr Peter Dean, University of Luton  
School of Communications
- 10.1.7 *Re-appointment*  
Prof David Hillier, University of Leeds  
DCUBS
- 10.1.8 *Addition to examiner's duties*  
Prof Duncan Mitchell, Manchester Metropolitan University  
School of Nursing
- 10.1.9 *Re-appointment*  
Dr Sue Alywin, UCC  
School of Nursing/Turning Point
- 10.1.10 *Re-appointment*  
Dr Angela Rickard, NUI Maynooth  
School of Applied Language & Intercultural Studies
- 10.1.11 Dr Robert Davis, University of Glasgow  
St. Patrick's College
- 10.1.12 Dr Jim Gleeson, University of Limerick  
St. Patrick's College
- 10.1.13 Prof Helen Gunter, University of Manchester  
St. Patrick's College
- 10.1.14 Dr Dawn Male, University of London  
St. Patrick's College
- 10.1.15 Prof Diane Reay, University of Cambridge  
St. Patrick's College
- 10.1.16 *Changes to external examiners' duties*  
Dr Robert Crawshaw  
Prof Liam O'Dowd  
Dr Douglas Smith  
Prof Tony Hartley  
Ms Miyoko Yamashita  
Dr Margaret Rogers  
School of Applied Language & Intercultural Studies

## **10.2 Appointment of Examiners: Postgraduate Research Students**

- 10.2.1 Prof Paul Engel, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.2 Prof Ase Sternesjo, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.3 Dr Joseph Kiniry, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.4 Dr Denilson Barbosa, University of Calgary  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Computing
- 10.2.5 Dr Stephen Weibelzahl, NCI  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Computing
- 10.2.6 Dr Antonio Vallecillo, University of Malaga  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.7 Dr Nigel Whyte, IT Carlow  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Computing
- 10.2.8 Dr Simon Clark, Sheffield Hallam University  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Physical Sciences
- 10.2.9 Dr Marc Mars, University of Salamanca  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Mathematical Sciences
- 10.2.10 Dr Nathan Quinlan, NUI Galway  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Mechanical and Manufacturing

- 10.2.11 Dr Tom Curran, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.12 Prof Shaogang Gong, University of London  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.13 Dr Vincent Wade, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.14 Prof Susanne Boll, University of Oldenburg  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.15 Prof Gillian Greenway, University of Hull  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Chemical Sciences
- 10.2.16 Prof Safa Kasap, University of Saskatchewan  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.17 Dr Garret O'Donnell, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Mechanical & Manufacturing Engineering
- 10.2.18 Dr James F Power, NUI Maynooth  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.19 Dr Helen Roche, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.20 Dr Catherine Stenson-Cox, NUI Galway  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.21 Prof Michael Reiss, University of London and Dr Ruth Jarman, Queen's University  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Communications
- 10.2.22 Prof Alice, Queen Mary University of London  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Chemical Sciences
- 10.2.23 Dr Pat Duggan, Waterford Institute of Technology  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Chemical Sciences
- 10.2.24 Dr Fiona Timmins, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MSc, School of Nursing
- 10.2.25 Prof Gerard O'Sullivan, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Physical Sciences
- 10.2.26 Dr Trude Heift, Simon Fraser University, Canada  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.27 Prof David Vernon, Etisalat University College, UAE  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.28 Prof Leonel de Sousa, University of Lisbon  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.29 Dr Jing Wu, University of Ottawa,  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.30 Dr Chris Bleakley, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.31 Prof Andrew Zisserman, University of Oxford  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.32 Prof Jim Sheehan, UCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, All Hallows College
- 10.2.33 Prof Balazs Sarkadi, National Medical Center, Hungary  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.34 Dr Helen Roche, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Biotechnology
- 10.2.35 Prof Paul Visich, Central Michigan University  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Health & Human Performance
- 10.2.36 Prof John Tait, University of Sunderland  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Computing
- 10.2.37 Dr Yiyang Wu, University of Ottawa  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.38 Dr Peter Corcoran, NUI Galway  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Electronic Engineering

- 10.2.39 Dr Gerard Lacey, TCD  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.40 Prof RJ Millar, University of Ulster  
Student no. USC2007/A3, MEng, School of Electronic Engineering
- 10.2.41 Dr PJ Cregg, Waterford Institute of Technology  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Mechanical & Manufacturing Engineering
- 10.2.42 Dr Leanne Pitchford, CNRS University Paul Sabatier  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, School of Physical Sciences
- 10.2.43 Dr Eric Sweeney, Waterford Institute of Technology  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, St Patrick's College
- 10.2.44 Dr Eric Sweeney, Waterford Institute of Technology  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, St Patrick's College
- 10.2.45 Prof Christina Goulding, University of Wolverhampton  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, DCUBS
- 10.2.46 Prof Michael Saren, University of Leicester  
Student no. USC2007/A3, PhD, DCUBS

## 11. Postgraduate Research Matters

### 11.1 Applications to transfer to PhD Register

- 11.1.1 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Electronic Engineering
- 11.1.2 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Electronic Engineering
- 11.1.3 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Physical Sciences
- 11.1.4 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Biotechnology
- 11.1.5 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Nursing
- 11.1.6 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Law & Government
- 11.1.7 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Law & Government
- 11.1.8 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Law & Government
- 11.1.9 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Law & Government
- 11.1.10 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Law & Government
- 11.1.11 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Chemical Sciences
- 11.1.12 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Chemical Sciences

### 11.2 Request for registration change from MSc to PhD

- 11.2.1 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Computing

### 11.3 Change of supervisory arrangements

- 11.3.1 Student ref. USC2007/A3, DCUBS
- 11.3.2 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of Chemical Sciences
- 11.3.3 Student ref. USC2007/A3, School of

## 12. Request for module exemption

BA in Economics, Politics and Law (1 x applicant)

## 13. Any other business

**Date of Next Meeting:**

To be decided  
9.30 am in A204